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**STATEMENT OF RELEVANCY**

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This Statement of Relevancy is herewith submitted with the concurrently filed Information Disclosure Statement. The below cited German language publication, for which an English language translation could not be located, is submitted for consideration in the above-identified application.

**DE 100 04 965 A1**, Robert Bosch GmbH, Publication Date: August 16, 2001.

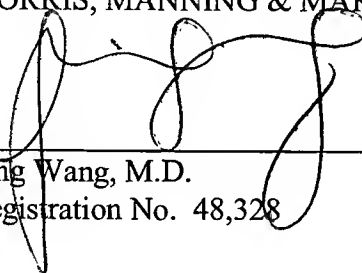
The above-cited publication describes an apparatus for the manual operation of devices in a vehicle, which apparatus is connected to the vehicle steering wheel and comprises operating elements which render it possible to perform a two-dimensional movement and/or a three-dimensional movement and an activation function on a display. The apparatus communicates with a radio base station in a wireless manner by means of the Bluetooth standard, wherein the radio base station is connected to the display. Either a track ball, a track point or a touch pad is used in order to perform the two-dimensional movement. The apparatus is either integrated into

the steering wheel or is designed as an add-on module. The apparatus is connected to a speech output system. In one embodiment, the apparatus comprises a finger print sensor for the purpose of identifying the driver. The apparatus can be connected to an external station for the purpose of transferring data.

Consideration of the above-cited reference with all Information Disclosure Materials concurrently filed is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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